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The Rhone-Alps Group of Research on the Infrastructures and Water is a non-profit organization created in 1985. Its aim is to contribute to the co-ordination of supply and demand of research in the field of urban water management. Its scope of activities includes the organization of interdisciplinary working groups with partners and scientists of complementary qualifications, and the synthesis and dissemination of knowledge in this field. The organization of the Novatech and IS.Rivers conferences is an example of such activities.

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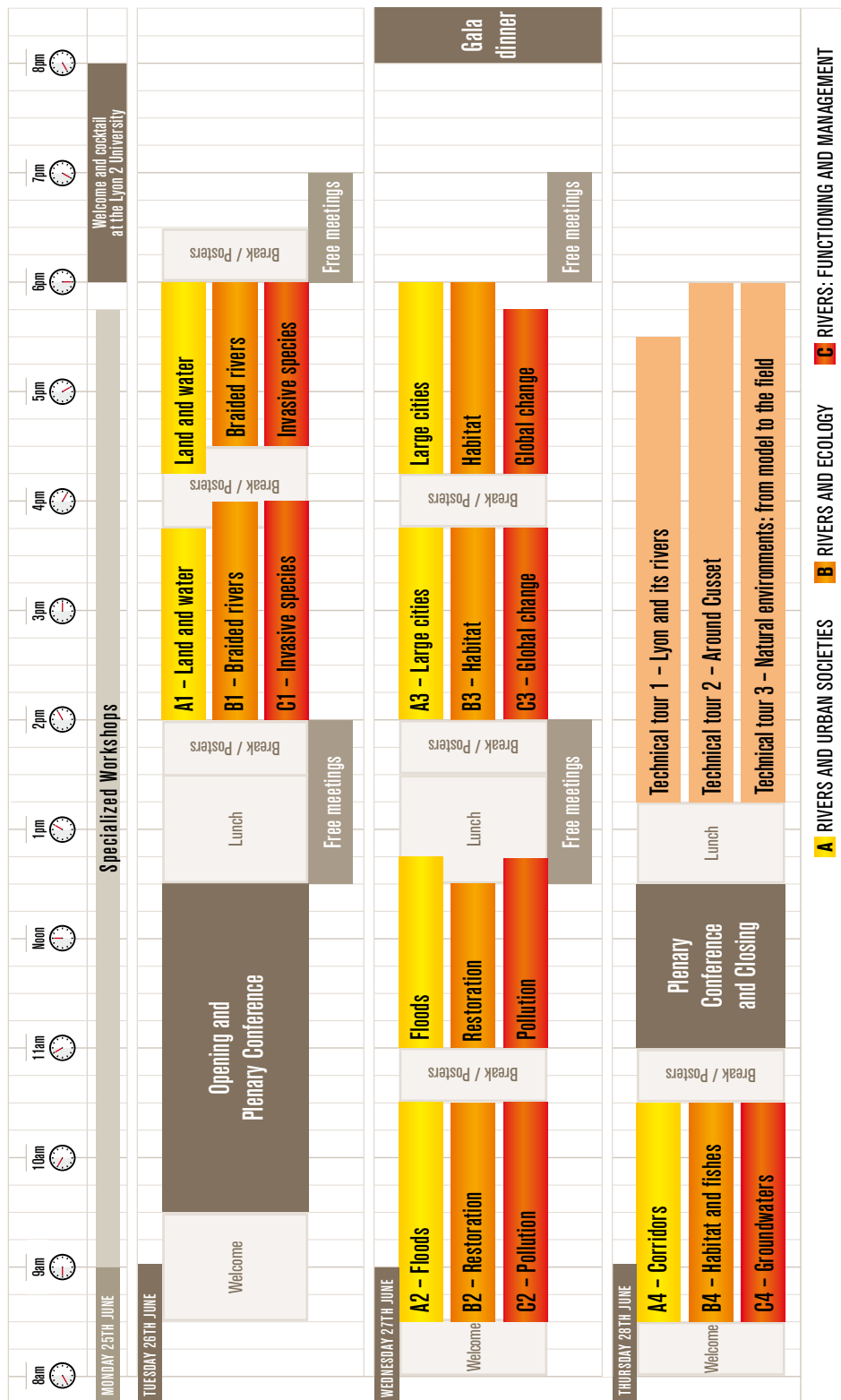
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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM



The detailed program can be found at www.isrivers.org



IS.RIVERS 2012

An initial conference to strengthen the dialogue on rivers

We are pleased to launch the first edition of IS.Rivers (Integrative Sciences and Sustainable Development of Rivers), an international conference that offers to all those involved in the management of aquatic environments or in territorial development as well as to scientists the opportunity to share their knowledge and practices, and thereby contribute to the sustainable development of the world's rivers.

This project is at the intersection of 3 paths:

- A researchers' network, brought together by the Rhone Long Term Environmental Research Observatory (ZABR) reputed on both a national and international scale for the excellence of its scientific work, and that has expressed the need to exchange internationally with river stakeholders.
- The Rhone stakeholders who have expressed, via the Rhone Plan, the need to exchange on management, new practices, and research developed on the European and world's rivers.
- The GRAIE, an association at the interface between professionals and scientists working in the field of water management, that wishes to contribute to the evolution of benchmarks and practices favorizing a sustainable management of streams.

This project is innovative in several respects:

- It invites participants to consider all facets of rivers in order to enhance together our understanding of the links between Rivers and Urban Societies – Rivers and Ecology – the Functioning and Management of Rivers.
- It provides an arena for dialogue between scientists and water and territory stakeholders, offering them the opportunity to discuss their research, practices, and approach to river management on an international scale.
- It is an opportunity to encourage the transfer of knowledge, methods and practices among stakeholders and find solutions for the sustainable development of the world's rivers.

We hope that the organization of the IS.Rivers 2012 conference will promote encounters between professionals and scientists on the subject of rivers within a friendly environment. We believe that all contributors and participants will come with a willingness to share and will seize the opportunity provided by IS.Rivers to build new collaborative projects.



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IS.RIVERS 2012

1st International conference on Integrative Sciences and sustainable development of rivers

Organized in Lyon for its 1st edition, the IS.Rivers international conference focuses on the sustainable management of the world's rivers, especially European ones. The IS.Rivers conference concentrates on state of the art management strategies and lessons learned from individual case studies. Particular consideration is given to the integration of physical, ecological and social perspectives of the different stakeholders involved in river management (governance, economy, culture), which is reflected in the title of the conference ("Integrative Sciences for rivers").

The conference has two objectives:

- To identify and discuss the most recent scientific advances on the complexity and diversity of rivers;
- To share experiences of research and actions, implementation of local policies and strategies at different scales with various human and geographic contexts.

To promote exchanges between professionals and scientists

The Organizing Committee and all partners involved have taken care to promote the conference to river practitioners and stakeholders as well as scientists. They have introduced operational case studies, research in progress, sessions for putting theory into practice, and conference formats adapted to all sections of the public, with time set aside for attendees to exchange views.

It aims at involving 2 different kinds of publics: (1) river managers and territorial development officers, whether they are local authorities, institutions or engineering firms; (2) scientists participating in research for integrative sciences and the sustainable development of rivers.

The conference will thereby contribute to present:

- all facets of rivers,
- multidisciplinary research which occurs in interaction with management,
- innovative actions carried out at different levels (corridors, large cities, within-channel exchanges/linkages).

To facilitate exchanges between participants, French/English simultaneous translation is provided for all sessions and during the technical tours.

A first edition with great ambition

- Up to 400 attendees delegates from France and from all over the world.
- 170 communications over 2.5 days.
- A look at 55 rivers of 32 different countries.
- Plenary conferences, break-out sessions and poster exhibitions.
- Specialized workshops, technical tours and two enjoyable social evenings.



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General program

The event will be held over 4 days:

- It will begin on Monday 25th June, with specialized workshops organized by international working groups and a general welcome and cocktail on Monday evening in the prestigious reception room of the "Lumière Lyon 2 University".
- The 2.5-day conference will take place in the Lumière Lyon 2 University with two plenary sessions revealing specificities of several major rivers and three break-out sessions in parallel allowing to present 100 communications. Poster exhibitions will enhance information and the media of exchange.



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- On Thursday 28th June afternoon, to close the IS.Rivers conference, three technical and sightseeing tours will enable delegates to discover several aspects of the Rhône river (a restored river, an urban river, and a multi-use river).

PLENARY CONFERENCES

Conference opening session

Tuesday 26th June, 9:30am – 12:30pm

IS.Rivers 2012 will be opened by the Presidents of the conference scientific committee, the President of Lumière Lyon 2 University, the Rhône-Alpes Regional Council Vice-President for regional development and large projects, Hervé Saulignac, the President of the Urban Community of Lyon, Gérard Collomb*, and the Rhône-Méditerranée basin Prefect coordinator and Rhône-Alpes Prefect, Jean-François Carencu.

For the 1st edition of the conference, where you will discover 55 of the world's rivers, we offer you the opportunity to **meet up with three rivers** during this opening session to discover their specificities, their functioning and the social issues for the urban societies: the Colorado, the Danube and the Rhône.

These talks will enable us to illustrate the complexity and diversity of rivers, and to take a careful look at integrative sciences and the sustainable development of the world's rivers.

Conference closing session

Thursday 28th June, 11am – 12:30pm

This session, focusing on **tomorrow's major challenges for rivers**, will provide complementary responses to this prospective question through:

- a scientific point of view with Stanley Gregory from the Oregon State University;
- a territorial approach with Jean-Claude Eude, Director of General Services of the Loire Public Institution.

Lastly, an analysis will be presented by José Palma Andrés*, Director at the European Commission's Directorate General (DG) for Regional Policy, on the importance of the European scale for tomorrow's rivers.

The conference will be officially closed by Martin Guespereau, General Director of the RM&C Water Agency.

* To be confirmed



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THEMATIC CONFERENCES (2.5 days)

240 papers were reviewed by a committee composed of 40 international experts, and 170 have been selected by the IS.Rivers steering committee. They are divided into oral presentations – 100 communications in 3 sessions in parallel – and 70 posters with a daily exhibition program. They are representative of the research and innovative operations conducted internationally (around 30 countries are represented) and are made up of scientific communications (70%) and technical presentations of case studies (30%). Some of them are designed to provide knowledge to assist public decision making; others rely directly on a wealth of different experiences. 60% are French, 19% are European and 21% come from other continents.

In selecting the 170 communications, the IS.Rivers steering committee has given priority to the communicant speaking time and to the quality of exchanges between participants, by dividing the communications into oral and poster presentations: 20 minutes per communication, time to exchange ideas and opinions during the sessions, and time set aside for meeting the authors of the posters.

The conference comprises 12 sessions in 3 break-out rooms in parallel.

A summary of the content is described hereinafter. The list of papers and the detailed program can be found on the IS.Rivers website.

The organization of the 3 break-out rooms approximately corresponds to three types of approach: **A – Rivers and Urban Societies**, **B – Rivers and Ecology**, and **C – Rivers: Functioning and Management**.

Some sessions, proposing the latest research results from different countries, target mainly scientists. Others focus more on feedback on management practices or transfer of knowledge, and are more directed towards river & land practitioners and stakeholders.

Participants are invited to read the detailed description of the sessions and papers in order to draw up their own program.

The detailed program can be found at www.isrivers.org

A – Rivers and Urban Societies

A1	Rivers: land and water The importance of rivers in the structural development and image of territories, linked with urban societies.	Tuesday 26th June from 2pm to 6pm
A2	River floods: knowledge of risks and preventive tools Hazard, impact and vulnerability – tools and actions to handle the crisis.	Wednesday 27th June from 8:30am to 12:45pm
A3	Large cities and river enhancement Urban strategies for river enhancement and water quality restoration under urban influence.	Wednesday 27th June from 2pm to 6pm
A4	River corridors: pressure – conservation – adaptation Morphological dynamics of river corridors and their conservation strategies.	Thursday 28th June from 8:30am to 10:30am

B – Rivers and Ecology

B1	Braided rivers, mountain rivers and their foothills A state of knowledge at the disposal of stakeholders on physical and biological functioning of this specific environment.	Tuesday 26th June from 2pm to 6pm
B2	Main actions for river restoration Feedbacks on major restoration operations.	Wednesday 27th June from 8:30am to 12:30pm
B3 & B4	Habitat: anthropogenic pressures and responses of aquatic communities Case studies and results of regional analysis, with a focus on fish aspects on the Thursday.	Wednesday 27th June from 2pm to 6pm Thursday 28th June from 8:30am to 10:30am

C – Rivers: Functioning and Management

C1	Biological invasions in large rivers Ecological dimensions of these species, as well as stakeholders' perceptions and strategies in this respect.	Tuesday 26th June from 2pm to 6pm
C2	Rivers as a pollution vector Four aspects are developed: perception, diagnosis, impact and modeling.	Wednesday 27th June from 8:30am to 12:45pm
C3	Global change: evolution scenarios of tomorrow's rivers Study of evolution scenarios linked with climatic change and analysis of specific cases.	Wednesday 27th June from 2pm to 5:45pm
C4	Groundwaters and interface with rivers Elements of knowledge making it possible to characterize exchanges between "aquifers and rivers".	Thursday 28th June from 8:30am to 10:30am

Highlights for meetings and exchanges

For this 1st edition of IS.Rivers, besides the convivial framework offered by the Lumière Lyon 2 University, we wanted to facilitate meetings and exchanges with:

- A daily thematic poster exhibition and a competition for the "best poster" in order to highlight them;
- Areas dedicated to casual meetings.



Poster exhibitions

70 authors, selected by the steering committee, are invited to present their work and experiences with posters.

Poster presentations represent one third of the selected communications. They contribute widely to enhancing the information proposed in the framework of the IS.Rivers conference. Each day, around thirty posters, dealing with the daily thematic conferences, will be displayed in the central area of the conference. Delegates will be able to meet and exchange with authors of the posters, especially during coffee breaks and lunches.

They will be invited to vote for the best poster of the day; the authors of the two best posters will be rewarded with an emblematic gift from Lyon.

A daily visit of the poster exhibition and meeting with poster authors are an integral part of IS.Rivers.



TECHNICAL TOURS

Thursday 28th June – Departure at 1:30pm

Three technical tours are planned on Thursday afternoon. They deliberately combine regional heritage discovery, visits of facilities and meetings with technical managers. French/English simultaneous translation will be provided during the visits. Please note that the number of participants to these technical tours is limited, you are advised to book as early as possible.

1 - Lyon's reunion with its rivers

Since the beginning of the 1990's, the Urban Community of Lyon ("Grand Lyon") has adopted a policy of restoring its rivers (Rhône and Saône) that has resulted in numerous projects in the city center and in the suburbs.

This technical tour will take place on a boat and is intended for any delegate interested in seeing the city in a different light, and discovering more specifically:

- **The Rhône Riverside:** inaugurated in 2006, this development transformed a 5-km long low section of the banks used as a parking lot into a large public space for multi-functional uses.
- **Lyon Confluence:** discovery of the confluence between the Rhône and the Saône rivers. Visit of the "Lyon Confluence", a 150-hectare extension of the Lyon city center; a stroll through the area will enable attendees to discover the Docks of Lyon, the Saône Park, the water square and its pier.
- **The Banks of the Saône:** boat trip on the Saône and visit of the new information reception office with the manager in charge of this important project covering 14 municipalities and 50 kms of riverside areas. Discovery of the aims behind the development and the ambitious public art program.



The Docks of Lyon © Grand Lyon

2 - Around Cusset: water, energy and city



The Jons dam, the Great Miribel Jonage Park, the Cusset hydroelectric power plant: discover three sites which, for the last 150 years, have contributed to the development of Lyon and its suburbs, providing the link between the countryside and the town. Founding elements of the river, they benefit from collaborative management and they play an important role in the construction of tomorrow's metropolis.

- **The Jons dam:** beaver pass and man-made river. This dam is the entry point of the Cusset hydroelectric complex. After

The Jons dam © Médiathèque EDF - Patrice Dhumes

the construction of a beaver pass, a man-made river is also being built, in order to safeguard the preservation and biodiversity of the site.

- **The Great Miribel Jonage Park:** the second biggest peri-urban park in Europe. Located at the heart of the floodplain of the Rhône river, this outstanding site reconciles flood management, the production of drinking water, the accommodation of urban populations and conservation of biodiversity. It has become an indispensable nature area of Lyon metropolitan area, with a wide range of activities.
- **The Cusset EDF hydroelectric power plant:** production of 100% renewable energy. Both an industrial facility and a work of art, the power plant has been in operation since 1899. At that time, it was the most powerful plant in the world. Today it produces the equivalent of the entire electric consumption of a town with 100,000 inhabitants.

3 - Natural environments: from model to the field

The National Rhône Company (CNR), producer of 100% renewable energy, shares its experience of public service missions and engineering research with a visit close to Lyon:



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- The hydraulic and measurements laboratory; on this occasion, the visit will focus on 2 physical models currently in operation which deal with complex hydraulic flows. One of the models will concern the high level fishway of the Sauveterre dam on the Rhône river.
- The first collaborative work on the hydraulic and ecological rehabilitation of the 2 side arms complex, 12 years after the refilling on the by-passed section of the Rhône (old main channel) of the Pierre-Bénite development. The site manager (SMIRIL) and scientists involved in monitoring the site will participate in the visit. (In times of flood, the visit will be cancelled).

Practical information

1:15pm – Meeting point for delegates on the quai Claude-Bernard, facing the Lyon 2 University, for all three tours.

Visit No.1 RHÔNE – SAÔNE	Visit No.2 AROUND CUSSET	Visit No.3 GERLAND – VERNAISON
1:30pm – Walk to the pier 5:30pm – Return to the Cordeliers area (city center of Lyon)	1:30pm – Departure by coach 5:30pm – Return to the "Vaulx-en-Velin la Soie" tramway station, then to the Lyon 2 University.	1:30pm – Departure by coach 6pm – Return to the subway "Gerland" station, then on to the Lyon 2 University

SPECIALIZED WORKSHOPS

Monday 25th June

These workshops are organized by international partner associations. The official language is English. The workshop programs are detailed on the website of the IS.Rivers conference.

Workshop 1 (11:30am - 5:45pm) Estimating and monitoring the effects of river restoration measures



The workshop is organized by CIRF, the Italian Center for River Restoration, within the activities of the FP7 project WaterDiss2.0 (www.waterdiss.eu), aiming at disseminating the results of EU funded research on water, in order to speed-up their transfer and application by policy makers and water managers.

The event will be carried out with the collaboration of representatives from several recently concluded research projects, among which the FP7 WISER, the FP6 EURO-LIMPACS and AQUAMONEY, the IWRM-Net RIPFLOW have already confirmed their participation. Through the presentation of their main results, the state-of-the-art on the evaluation of river restoration benefits will be explored under different angles, from ecological status modifications to flood risk mitigation and other ecosystem services.

Participants will have the opportunity to discuss directly with researchers on assessment frameworks and analysis of real case studies, and on how the results of recent research can help improving planning, implementation and monitoring of river restoration actions.

After a presentation of single projects, a moderated discussion will follow, open to all participants.

The event targets mainly River basin Authorities and other administrations involved in river basin planning and management, national and regional agencies responsible for river monitoring, river restoration practitioners.



GENERAL INFORMATION

This 1st edition will take place at the Lumière Lyon 2 University, a prestigious site overlooking the Rhône.

Welcome and entry

- Monday 25th June at the Lumière Lyon 2 University, for the workshop delegates only.
 - Monday 25th June at 6:00pm, ice breaker in the reception room of the Lumière Lyon 2 University.
 - Tuesday 26th June at 8:30am, then Wednesday 27th and Thursday 28th June at 8am, on the conference site.
 - Thursday 28th June at 1:15pm, at the meeting point for the technical and sightseeing tours.
- Please note that your passport or identity card will be required every day in exchange for your translation headphone.

Official languages

English and French are the two official languages. Simultaneous translation will be provided for all sessions, and during the Technical tours but not during the specialized workshops on Monday 25th June.

IS.Rivers proceedings

For this 1st edition, the proceedings will be published in two formats: a complete publication of the proceedings in electronic version, on a memory stick, will be given to the attendees; and a printed version of the French/English proceedings will be given to the attendees during the conference.

Ice Breaker

A Welcome cocktail will be served on Monday 25th June from 6:00pm at the Lumière Lyon 2 University; the ideal opportunity to meet again convivially with your colleagues from all over the world, in the prestigious reception room of the University which offers a beautiful view on the Rhône River.

Gala dinner

The gala dinner – including entertainment – will take place on Wednesday 27th June at the Jols seafood restaurant in Lyon.

Free meetings

Three meeting rooms will be put at the disposal of the delegates for working groups. Time slots: Tuesday and Wednesday from 12:30pm to 2pm and from 6pm to 7pm. Please contact the secretariat to book a time slot.

Accompanying persons

A tourist kit and tickets for public transport will be provided to enable accompanying persons to make the most of their stay in Lyon.

- A meeting point is proposed on Monday 25th June, for the Ice Breaker.
- A guided tour of Lyon is organized on Tuesday morning, followed by a friendly lunch in a “bouchon lyonnais” (traditional restaurant).
- On Wednesday evening, the accompanying persons are invited to participate in the Gala Dinner with all the conference participants in the city center of Lyon.
- They can also register for the technical and sightseeing program of Thursday afternoon.

All this information and more can be found at www.isrivers.org

Registration

Online registrations only: www.isrivers.org

- Registrations will open on March 15th.
- Please register before April 30th to qualify for the early bird registration.
- The registration deadline is June 15th, 2012.
- The complete registration to IS.Rivers 2012 includes the attendance to the 2.5 conference days on June 26th, 27th and 28th, the proceedings – delivered to the venue (on memory stick and an abstracts compendium), three lunches and two dinners on Monday and Wednesday evenings.
- You can also attend a specialized workshop on Monday 25th June, and a technical tour on Thursday 28th June in the afternoon.
- You can choose to attend only one day of the conference.
- A special rate is granted to authors and members of partner associations; please provide the number of your paper or your membership number as you register online.

Payment terms

You are required to register on the IS.Rivers Website, whatever mode of payment you choose.

- by debit card, via the IS.Rivers website (secured system).
- by bank wire S.W.I.F.T. transfer, in euros only.

It is essential that you fax a copy of the Bank transfer, with the registration reference, the name and the country of the participant to +33 (0)4 72 43 92 77.

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General terms

Your registration will only be valid once we receive your payment.

Cancellation conditions:

- Before May 5th, 2012 – Full refund less a 30 € administration charge
- Up to June 1st, 2012 – Refund of 70% of your registration fees
- After June 1st, 2012 – No refund; registrants are liable for the entire registration fees; the conference proceedings will be sent to absentees.

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Rates

CONFERENCE

IS.Rivers 2012 registration: from 280 € to 350 €€

Attendance to the 2.5-day conference, proceedings (on memory stick & abstracts compendium), lunches, Ice Breaker and Gala Dinner included.

Full rate:

Discounts (can be held concurrently):

- Registration before April 30th:

- Authors and members of partner associations:

350 €€

- 30 €

- 40 €

Daily conference registration: from 125 € to 160 €€

Attendance to the chosen conference day, proceedings (on memory stick & abstracts compendium) and lunch.

Full rate:

Discounts (can be held concurrently):

- Registration before April 30th:

- Authors and members of partner associations:

160 €

- 15 €

- 20 €

Complementary offers

Specialized workshop – Monday 25th June:

Estimating and monitoring the effects of river restoration measures

Attendance, documents and lunch.

+ 40 €

Technical tours (1 visit to choose among 3) – Thursday 28th June PM:

Transport and documents included. **Registration is compulsory.**

Free of charge

Accompanying persons:

Tourist kit, Ice Breaker, guided tour of Lyon with lunch on Tuesday, and gala dinner.

+ 160 €

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HOTEL BOOKING

The IS.Rivers secretariat is not in charge of room bookings.

You can book your hotel via the **online booking system of Lyon's Tourist Information Center**. The service is free of charge and will give you access to more than 110 hotels. You may also contact the hotels directly.

Recommended hotels (This list is by no means exhaustive)

Hotels near the conference site				
Arr.	Type	Hotel	Single ¹	Distance ²
7 ^e	2 **	Hôtel du Helder	55 €	0,7 km
7 ^e	2 **	Ibis Lyon Centre	99 €	0,5 km

Hotels in the city center of Lyon				
Arr.	Type	Hotel	Single ¹	Distance ²
2 ^e	2 **	Hôtel des Savoies	74 €	0,9 km
2 ^e	3 ***	Hôtel des Célestins	82 €	1,3 km
2 ^e	3 ***	Best Western Hôtel de Verdun	95 €	1 km
2 ^e	3 ***	Globe et Cecil Hotel	99 €	1,2 km
2 ^e	3 ***	Ibis Lyon Centre Perrache	103 €	1,4 km
2 ^e	3 ***	Citadines Lyon Presqu'île	106 €	1,5 km
2 ^e	3 ***	Mercure Lyon Beaux-Arts	145 €	1,3 km
2 ^e	4 ****	Grand Hôtel Mercure Château Perrache	130 €	1,8 km
2 ^e	5 *****	Hôtel Sofitel	195 €	0,5 km

Hotels near the Part-Dieu station				
Arr.	Type	Hotel	Single ¹	Distance ²
3 ^e	2 **	Athéna Part-Dieu	98 €€	2,3 km
3 ^e	3 ***	Residhotel Lyon Part-Dieu	89 €€	2,1 km
3 ^e	3 ***	Citadines Lyon Part-Dieu	93 €€	1,8 km
3 ^e	3 ***	Ibis Lyon Part-Dieu Les Halles	113 €€	2 km
3 ^e	4 ****	Radisson Blu Hotel Lyon	168 €€	2,1 km
3 ^e	4 ****	Mercure Grand Hôtel Saxe-Lafayette	174 €€	1,5 km

Hotels in Gerland and the 8 th arrondissement of Lyon				
Arr.	Type	Hotel	Single ¹	Distance ²
7 ^e	2 **	Séjours & Affaires Park Avenue	77 €	1,8 km
7 ^e	2 **	Ibis Lyon Gerland rue Mérieux	98 €	2,8 km
7 ^e	3 ***	Novotel Lyon Gerland	172 €	2,5 km
8 ^e	2 **	Résidence Adagio Access Lyon	86 €	3,6 km

¹ These minimum rates are indicative only and are non-binding / ² Walking distance from the conference site.

Our hotel selection and the link to the online booking system can be found on the 'Accommodation' page of the IS.Rivers website (www.isrivers.org).

PRACTICAL AND TOURIST INFORMATION

How to reach Lyon

BY PLANE

Lyon Saint-Exupéry Airport, located 25km away from the city center of Lyon, provides connections to hundreds of cities, half of which are international. To reach the city center of Lyon:

- the 'Rhônexpress' tram connects the Lyon Saint-Exupéry Airport to the center of Lyon (Part-Dieu station) in less than 30 min. Departures every 15 minutes (one-way ticket: 15€ ; return ticket: 26€);
- by cab, fare is around 50€.

BY TRAIN

Please be aware that there are 3 SNCF railway stations in Lyon: Part-Dieu station and Perrache station (the closest one to the conference site) in the city center; and a TGV (high speed train) station at the Lyon Saint-Exupéry airport.

How to reach the Lumière Lyon 2 University

The Lumière Lyon 2 University is located at "18 quai Claude-Bernard", in the city center of Lyon, on the banks of the Rhône river.

BY PUBLIC TRANSPORT

- T1 tram: leave the tram at the "rue de l'Université" stop.
- T2 tram: leave the tram at the "Centre Berthelot" stop.

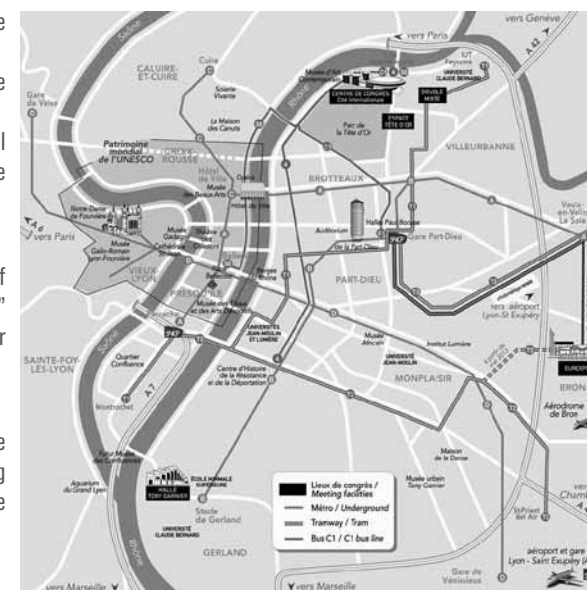
Further information on access and transport will be sent to registrants closer to the conference date.

BY CAR

The university is situated in the city center of Lyon, it is thus difficult to park. The "Berthelot" parking lot (99 rue de Marseille) is situated near the University.

BY BIKE

The city of Lyon provides 3500 self-service bicycles called "Vélo'v" available in 343 docking stations in Lyon and Villeurbanne. 29 bicycles are at your disposal near the university.



Easy Lyon

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

The city center is very well served by public transport (tramway, subway and bus) until midnight. You may check timetables and itineraries on the "Transport for Lyon" website: www.tcl.fr

CLIMATE

End of June is summer in Lyon! Average minimal and maximum temperatures are respectively 15°C and 25°C, but the weather can be very hot!

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